

## MAKEPEACE

Miss Lela Bulger, of Hordley, spent the weekend at her home here.

Pte Arthur Wittage who is stationed in Calgary spent the weekend at the home of his sister Mrs. J. Bulger.

Miss Rena Mullen graduated from Normal School, Calgary last Thursday. Mr. & Mrs. A. Mullen & Mrs. Mullen and Dorothy went to Calgary to attend her graduation. Rena returned home with them.

There was a chivalry and dance held last Friday night at Alhambra for the newly-weds, Mr. & Mrs. Bill Rodhouse. At suppertime they were presented with a chalice bestowed by the community.

Pte. Albert Berger spent leave at his home at Crowfoot.

It has finally rained, and the farmers are glad to have the kinks out of their necks, after the long dry spell.

Hayford Brothers are the proud owners of a new Massey Harris Tractor.

Fred Bulger has a water pressure system and that running water sure looks good.

The last Red Cross Meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Brockbank. The following articles were turned in:

4 girls jumpers, 2 pr. children's socks, 1 girl's sweater, 1 pr. men's socks, 1 baby outfit, 2 quilt tops, 10 ladies bloomers, 1 girls dress, 2 boys pyjamas, 1 girls nightgown, 2 panties, 2 vests, 1 1/2 lbs. money.

Will the ladies please be sure to bring their woolen caps to the next meeting at Mrs. Brockbank's house to get them sent away.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. Ruberg, June 14th.

Joe Tierney and Arthur Rodhouse were visitors to Calgary last Tuesday.

Mrs. A. Aronson has been delayed at the hospital. She may get home this week. We'll keep hoping.

## HUSSAR NEWS

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Lawson, that their son, Corporal James Curtis Lawson died 2 wounds received in the Italian battle front on May 25th. James was Tank Commander at the time he enlisted with the Lord Strachan Horse and left for overseas in November 1941. He was 5 years of age at the time of his death. He is survived by his parents, Mr. & Mrs. J.C. Lawson.

highly respected old timers, pioneers of the Hussar district and one brother, James grew up in this area.

The last Hussar meeting at the home of V.P. LeGrandeur on Thursday afternoon was a great success, much fine quilting having been accomplished by the many ladies present, and four dirty bags having been packed. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

The meeting two weeks ago at the home of Mrs. T. Russell was greatly enjoyed; quilting patches from the pieces contributed by Mrs. Olive Anderson at the meeting. Mrs. Stewart's were placed into blocks. The lunch was greatly enjoyed.

The business meeting is to be held at the home of the president Mrs. V.P. LeGrandeur and the quilting will be arranged for on Monday evening, June 13th, and the packing on June 12th.

Hussar and district are rejoicing over the rains; Wednesday there fell 1.10 ins. and on Saturday night 2.75 ins. This puts Hussar soil in good growing condition for grains and gardens.

## COUNTRESS NEWS

Mr. Landry (Pauline Cader) & son, Kenneth, are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. & Mrs. A. L. Cadar.

A W.F.A. meeting was held at the Countess hall Friday night. A large attendance was reported.

We are glad to welcome back to our midst, Miss Jean Clyn and Mrs. J. Deane, who have spent several weeks at the Bassano hospital. Miss Jean Clyn underwent an appendicectomy.

Joanne Cadar who has been staying with her grandparents here went to Faber to be with her folks.

The "Ladies Gospel Trio" held two meetings in the community hall which were well attended in spite of the hot roads. Their sermons, both in song and words, were much appreciated and enjoyed.

Come to church Gospel meetings are held in the Community Hall every Sunday night at 8:30 p.m.

God says "If my people will hear my voice and humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked way; then will I hear from heaven and forgive their sins and heal their land." Be patriotic and pray! In these terrible days of war while our boys are "over there" giving their lives for our freedom, the very least we can do is to pray for them. Get right with God, turn from your worldly pleasure and sin then only will God hear your prayers and answer.

## BASSANO NEWS

Mr. & Mrs. P. Carstensen and family of Hanna visited Mrs. Carstensen's parents Mr. & Mrs. C. D. Marriott over the weekend.

Mr. & Mrs. C.D. Marriott wish to announce the marriage of their youngest son Sgt. Raymond C. Marriott of the Cdn. Provost Corps to Capt. Nancy Gregory of the W.A.C.F. The wedding took place at her home in Mansfield, Nottingham, England on April 19th.

The annual Track meet for the Bassano Film Pastore school will be held on Friday June 9th, commencing at 10 a.m. The track events will last until 4:30 p.m. after which there will be inter-



Here is a girl whose job is facilitating the conversations of others. In a Canadian factory which makes communications equipment, her job is the testing of completed sections of long distance telephone cables. This particular cable will transmit 12 conversations over one circuit at the same time. Communications experts say that these conversations do not interfere with one another, any more than two radio programmes, coming from different points on the dial interfere with each other.

school softball games. Everybody Welcome.

Misses Effie and Annie Dondy were Calgary visitors on Monday.

The annual inspection of the Bassano Cadet Corps will be held at the School Grounds on Wednesday afternoon, June 14th, at 2:30. The public is cordially invited to attend the inspection and see the boys display their training.

After winning the Transwestern Shield three years in succession the Cadets have set out to be among the winners once more.

Capt. G. H. Hilton Bennett, district commander, will be in the inspecting officer.

## Bears Will Be Bears

The wild animals that roam at large are one of the chief attractions of Canada's National Parks. They are often seen along the roads and trails and in the principal recreational areas. This is particularly true of bears. Secure from harm, they become more or less indifferent to the presence of human beings.

Though these "clowns of the forest" provide a great deal of interest and amusement for visitors, old and young alike, it should be remembered that they are still wild animals, very strong and active, and when aroused capable of inflicting serious injury.

Distressing accidents, the result of visitors feeding and petting the bears, have been recorded in recent years some proving rather serious. Most of these accidents are due to over-familiarity. When a bear becomes accustomed to being fed, and food is his liking is not forthcoming when required, he will take it. He will raid the campsite, kitchen ladder, car, or garbage can and make himself a dangerous nuisance. Then he's his long-eared, ungainly, particularly his thick fur, he will suffer loss as a result of his depredations, and he must be shot. Feeding a bear or petting a cub means in most cases signing its death warrant.

During the summer of 1943 there was born to one of the black bears who frequents the townsite of Jasper, in Jasper National Park, four cubs, three brown and one black. As the birth of these quadruplets was rather unusual they were quite interesting to townpeople who went to the residents of Jasper as well. For some time after they were born the mother kept them away from the town, but a sleazy visit during the night revealed the abundance of food, of sorts, in garbage cans. From then on these cute little fellows were doomed. They quickly became accustomed to townspeople who went to their way to make "friends" with the cubs. Countless chocolate bars, biscuits, and other tasty tidbits were fed to them in the process. Hundreds of feet of film were exposed showing the public feeding the cubs in various poses and children rolling on the grass with them.

This summer these cute little cubs of 1943 will have grown to good sized bears. They will have lost much of their attractiveness but not their liking for the contents of garbage cans and chocolate bars. As soon as there is a shortage of this food, they will also raid basements and kitchen larders and tents and there will be a call for the warden's bullet to end the life of one or the other of these cute little cubs of 1943.

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## Announcements

There will be a dance in Bassano on June 8th sponsored by the Students Union. Music by Makepeace orchestra.

A Board of Trade meeting was held on June 1st, with 17 present. Several matters of interest were discussed among them the swimming pool and through this meeting work has now commenced on repairing the pool as the children will have a place to swim besides the ditches and canal. An invitation is here by extended to anyone who is not a member of the Board of Trade to become one by paying their fee of \$1.00 to anyone of the following: J.R. Donaldson, A. McKee, J. Schaffer or W.F. McBeth.

Our next meeting is on Thurs., June 22nd, and we are looking for everyone interested in helping to make our Board of Trade the best in the West to attend.

A Talies Trio will hold gospel services in the IOOF hall on Thurs. June 8th, and Friday June 9th. All are invited to hear the music and message. Services begin at 8:30 pm. Under the auspices of The Canadian Sunday School Mission.

either feeding or petting them, however much they may be inclined to do so. It should be remembered that even "tame" bears are still wild animals with a lot of wild ancestry behind them and their apparent lameness is only a thin veneer.

## Ottawa Letters

Echoes of the London conference of Commonwealth Prime Ministers reverberated through the Canadian capital during the visit of Hon. John Curtin of Australia. At a press conference and during private conversations while in Ottawa, the Aust. Prime Minister made it clear that, like Prime Minister King, he has no thought of the Empire automatically acting together on all world issues.

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## Born at the Hospital

To Mr. & Mrs. Joe. Chabot, Rosemary a daughter on May 2, 1944.

To Mr. & Mrs. A. C. F. Hammond, Wardlaw, a daughter on May 4th.

To Mr. & Mrs. Nick Reimer, Duchess, a daughter on May 7th, 1944.

To Mr. & Mrs. Harold Ockey, Rosemary a son on May 10th, 1944.

To Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Lamont, of Bassano, a daughter on May 14th.

To Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Arison, of Bassano a daughter on May 22nd.

To Mr. & Mrs. Henry Walde, Gem a daughter on May 28th, 1944.

to old age pensions or pensions for the blind have been relaxed. Some time ago the old age pension was increased by Federal action from \$30 (1935) a month but the pension was reduced if the recipient had an income of more than \$65 a yr. from other sources. The allowable outside income is now increased to \$125 a year, without reduction of pension. Thus a pensioner can now receive a total of \$145 a year instead of \$135 as formerly.

## MORE PAPER REQUIRED

### To Ship Supplies

Canada needs more paper to make more boxes to ship more supplies to the armed forces overseas. National Salvage officials ask Canadians to save all waste paper for local salvage drives.

Did you know that 50 lbs of the waste paper will make:

100 containers for blood plasma—or 725 cartons for emergency life boat rafts—or 150 cartons, each containing one tube of poison gas ointment—or 50 cartons each containing 10 doses of fever vaccine.

Save waste paper now—it will help save lives later.



Celebrating his eleventh year in the service of national broadcasting this month, Louis Walzman is one of the musical personalities of Canada. Friend of celebrities & unknown students alike, he has been his lifetime hobby to encourage & foster young talent to seek a career in music. Perry Paine is among the

Walzman alumni. As musical arranger for the CBC since 1933, as librettist for the Toronto Symphony Orchestra and valued associate of its conductor, Sir Ernest MacMillan, Mr. Walzman's friends are legion. He is seen above with part of the symphony library of which he is custodian.

Toronto radio performer, formerly of Wink, who plays "Muddy Rhythm" in the CBC's Dominion network series "On the Stage" Mondays, 9:00 p.m. She hails from Dunsin, Minn., and took her dramatic training from Marie Casperson in Hollywood.

## The Bassano Recorder

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## PASSING

And The

PERMANENT  
RECORD YEAR

The American Book Society reports that 1945 was a record year, for both the publication and the circulation of God's Word. It circulated 6,730,000 copies of the Scriptures throughout the world. None of the shipments of Scriptures was lost by enemy action during 1945.

NO SUNDAY  
THEATERS

No theaters are open on Sunday in England, again and again, during this war, attempts have been made to pass laws permitting Sunday theaters, using the entertainment of soldiers as an excuse, but each time the Lord's Day Observance Society has campaigned against such attempts, and has called on God's people to pray, with the result that the theaters remain closed. Theaters are not permitted to operate on Sun. in Canada either.

'The School of  
Crime'

From the Report, Pa. comes a news item: "A thirteen-year-old Jesus Larkus, of Gilmertown, Jefferson county, was sentenced to a two-year-old playmate ten times their age for a homicide, just like I care it in the movies." With have the movies been called the school of crime?

## THELIQUOR INDUSTRY

A million Americans are directly or indirectly engaged in the liquor industry, according to figures published in the Christian Herald.



A young lady is transplanting leaf lettuce, and this is the time of year when many 'war-time gardeners' in Canada are following in her footsteps and are putting in young

More than four million tons of beer and liquor are shipped each year, despite overworked rail facilities. Two and a half million truckloads of beer alone are moved annually, in spite of fuel and manpower shortages.

## STRIFE IN PALESTINE

Strife between the Arabs and the Jews in Palestine has not ended. It has merely been held down by the presence of Allied forces in the land. According to the New York Times, both Arabs and Jews are building up secret stores of arms, drilling their forces and perfecting their organizations in preparation for the day when the Allied forces move out.

READING RECORD  
OF 1943

The year 1943 was the most remarkable in the 150-year-old history of U.S. publishing, says Time. The public bought 80 million novels, biographies, and books about war and politics, 70 million textbooks, 40 million children's books, 45 million technical books, and 15 million Bibles and religious books, a total estimated at between 250 or 260 millions, which is from 20 to 30 per cent more than in 1942.

Making Marriage  
A Mockery

Los. Elliott Roosevelt's second wife recently sued him for divorce in Texas. The decree was granted after she told the judge: "My husband said he did not care for me any longer and asked that I institute divorce proceedings." Thus, by the easy divorce laws that exist in half our States, America is making a mockery of an institution that God made sacred and binding.

## A Bloody Record

It was in Russia that the first time—ship and possibly the bloodiest—was appeared in modern times during the first four years of communist dictatorship in Russia. There were 200,000 prisoners, 1,219 priests, 6,000 professors and teachers, 8,000 doctors, 12,900 lawyers, 54,000 officers, 70,000 policemen, 185,250 workmen, 2,167,000 soldiers, 355,250 intellectuals and professional men, and 815,000 peasants. These figures are based on a Russian statistical investigation that is reported by Louis S. Bauman. They are a revealing record.

A SOLDIER'S  
LETTER

There are many interesting letters coming from the front line of the battle and here is one of them.

## DEAR SIS:

I don't know where to start first. So many things have happened since last I wrote. Well, to begin with, I have escaped death at the hands of the enemy in a way so amazing I am still in a daze. You remember I told you I was going over armed with the Bible? That Bible is the reason I am still here and able to write this letter to all America.

Here is the story: My buddy and I were sent out to duty with our equipment in the work I told you we were our jobs. We had just received information—the most important for weeks. But we were discovered by the necessity of getting my gun at a man to shoot the life from his body. I thought fast; then I said, "Lord, it's your responsibility now."

As I reached for my carbine a shot from one of them struck me in the breast and blasted me down. My buddy had not obeyed my orders. He had not seen. Thinking I was dead he jumped for me, grabbed my carbine as well as his own and fired my carbine, and my bullet struck my body, and I was hit. Two—his knees with three bullet wounds. But when he finished there was not one of the enemy around.

He was amazed when I rolled over and tried to get up. The force of the bullet had only stunned me. Dazedly I wondered why. I pulled that little Bible out of my pocket and in utter muteness looked at the holy book in the cover—I had ripped through Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, through Samuel Kings and burst on going: "Where do you think it is?" In the middle of Psalm 41, pointing his finger at this verse: "A thousand said at thy side, and ten thousand of thy right hand, but it shall not come nigh thee. Only with thine eyes shalt thou behold and see the reward of the wicked." Sis, when I read that verse it raised me clear off the ground. I did not know that there was such a verse in the Bible. I'd been reading mostly in the New Testament. I read the rest of that chapter—the first part was ripped apart. In utter humility I said, "Thank you, precious God."

When I got my buddy back to the post he said, "Lute he called me Lute." I've had enough. This convinces me I want to get right with God—starting now." He wouldn't let them tend his wounds. He said, "Nothing matters now but this." He fell on his knees, with his three wounds—and he prayed. His body became almost numb. But he wouldn't give up. When the Lord Jesus heard his cry and came in and saved him, he moved. That soldier went all out for God. He ran outside and shouted to the whole camp.

Since that time I have talked with the boys, held meetings and prayed with them. Twenty-two of the men have come out for God. God has even reached my general. It took a long time. He was so dignified. But he was grounded, and came through. The Spirit of God was surely present in power.

I tell you six prayer is going to win this war. Not guns alone. Prevent agonizing prayer. I know God is bringing them in one by one. The whole company will be a company of praying men. God has given me assurance. Think of it—20 praying men and one general in a regiment! When that happens this unit will be unconquerable. Pray, Sis. Pray as you have never prayed before. Tell everyone to pray. Tell all America to go to its knees!

Until nations and people have paid in blood and tears for Christ.

From Sinai  
To Calvary

A thrilling story of a Jewish youngster who was taught to hate Jesus and how he became a believer in Christ. Related by himself.

We believe that every one who starts to read this story will continue to read and look forward for the next issue.

By Abraham Silverstein

Continued from last week.

Then I came face to face with a group of people who were being addressed in the Yiddish language. Although at home we mostly spoke German or French, I nevertheless understood the Yiddish language which is not Jewish, but a bad German, mixed with words from many languages where Jews are living. By this time, I spoke the Yiddish as well as any Jew in New York City.

This meeting interested me, principally because I could understand the speeches. I decided it was a sort of political meeting, of which there were quite a few. Then during the year when Theodore Roosevelt was preparing for a second term campaign and there were political meetings all over New York City.

The speaker was a young Jew. He spoke against the capitalist governments, including that of the United States. He was in favor of establishing some other kind of government. He was succeeded by another man, around thirty years of age or a little older, who spoke quietly but with more assurance. His theme centered around the deplorable conditions in Russia, which at that time was an Imperialist state under Czar Nicholas. This man spoke of the complete and imminent overthrow of the Russian government; he said there were millions in Russia and other parts of the world who were incessantly working to free the Russian people from the tyranny of imperialism and capitalism.

Socialism! That's what this was. I concluded, I remained silent and listened further. This man appealed to young men who had ambition to participate in a world revolution. He pointed out the unsatisfactory living conditions of the working people; compared the living and economic situation of the workers to that of the wealthy and capitalists; he advocated an immediate revolution not only in Russia, but all over the world, and the liquidation of all accumulation of wealth. Only in this manner could a young

man find expression of his life and ideals. He stated; and only by joining hands with the persecuted and oppressed working classes, all over the world, could a man today find relief from idleness of thought and mind. Therefore he urged his hearers to attend a certain school of thought—to join the revolutionary forces—to train for the great day coming, and to be prepared to lay down his life and what he possessed upon the altar of freedom and liberty.

I liked his speech. It appealed to me. I was ripe for something for some sort of expression of life and ideals, as he put it, and this was something that would fit me. It would occupy my thoughts and turn my being into an anticipation of great deeds. When he got through, I approached him and asked him where that school was, and that if it was free, I would attend, as I was interested. He shook his hand and told me his name was Leon Braunstein, that he was living in the Bronx, but came downtown every day, and that the school was a restaurant on Grand Street. He gave me the number and told me that meetings were held there every evening after eight o'clock. I solemnly promised I would come. He seemed pleased.

I felt something. This thing was something to me. I was heartily grey for something, ripe for some sort of leading and ready to accept almost anything which should fill a certain vague, undetermined emptiness which was growing within me. I could hardly wait till the next evening I would head downtown and into the little restaurant on Grand Street. Others may use the street car, the horse car or the subway, but that always cost five cents, and I would rather walk miles than spend five cents for a few minutes ride. So I walked.

The restaurant was just a lunch room. There was no hall. Five or six tables filled the entire room, and in the rear, there was a small counter and behind that, the kitchen. For the price of ten cents you could have a plate of herring soup and a glass of Russian tea. Or, for the same amount, you could have a large plate of "Borscht," a Russian dish—a sort of soup made with a glass of tea. For one time you would have a meal that would satisfy you and keep you until you were hungry again.

Around each table there were from two to four young men, each

having something to eat or drink. Mr. Braunstein was there. It was understood that he did not have to pay for anything he consumed. He was the leader and teacher and each student, most naturally, divided what he had with this leader. I have never known Mr. Braunstein to pay for any meal in that restaurant. He was poor, or at least he never had money and disclaimed money.

This then was the school. They were all friendly and made me feel that I was some great revolutionist, or at least a potential one. It felt good to be thus regarded. I said nothing, because I did not know anything. Silence on my part made me even a greater man in the crowd and to this day I believe that Mr. Braunstein, who later became a world figure and the most talked of man in the world, had an idea that I knew lot more than I wished to admit about world revolutions and so on. The fact is, I knew nothing at all about such matters. I was innocent and said nothing, because I did not know anything to talk about.

I was initiated, by being allowed to ask Leon Trotsky to partake of a plate of Jewish corn beef, and some bread and tea. He ate it all and seemed to enjoy it. And this is how I contributed indirectly to the great revolution in Russia and the destruction of the Russian Imperialistic government, led by Lenin and this man, Leon Braunstein or Trotsky.

Each one of these young men in the group had already adopted a Russian name. They asked me what my name was. I told them. They at once translated it in Russian and declared that my name was fresh and it was for a number of years after that.

I listened to the harangue against God's and capitalism after night, and Braunstein, due to my mysterious silence, became quite friendly with me and often, on my way downtown, stopped at the rooming house to wait for me so we could continue the walk to our school. He did not talk much during those walks. I often wondered whether he thought he might be compromised by some careless remarks made by a man whom he knew nothing at all, and who refused to hold speeches. We still do not know about the secret groups that terrorized Russia, about the spies upon spies; that terrible suspicion breeding system which finally did help more than anything else to cause the great revolution in that unhappy land. Did Braunstein think I was a spy, come to spy mischief of some sort? Then why did I not speak, tell what I knew, teach others the arts of revolution? Why?

Continued in the next issue.

The Scripture Gift Mission  
"Homeward"

Often a person orders a book having been attracted by its much promising title only to be thoroughly disappointed in his expectations. First of all we sell the literature at cost price, secondly we repay the full amount if someone is not satisfied with the content and brings us the book undamaged back.

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Prayer changes things!

ing God out of their hearts, out of their homes, nations and lands, this war will not end. Tell them to send Bibles, and more Bibles! A Bible will give a soldier the confidence that God is with him. Try to get this letter on the air, in the papers, in anything that is printed. Make copies of it. Send it from coast to coast. Tell them the Army wants prayer—and Bibles.

And you, complacent, bridge-playing, fox trotting, cocktail-drinking mothers—why didn't you teach your sons about God? Instead of handing them a cigarette, a cocktail glass, and a dance program? Get on your knees and ask God to forgive your sins and save you. Then pray for the Army—pray! and you dignified preacher—why didn't you teach your people to pray, to follow God, instead of standing before them in your silk robes and reading them a ritual

I could go on but I am so tired as weary. But, in all so happy to see them coming to God one by one. So tell them to pray—and keep on praying. And when you send things to your boys, send Bibles. They want to hear God speak.

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## FARM NEWS

### This Pamphlet to Help Gardeners

No matter what precautions are taken, insect and disease outbreaks are apt to occur in certain sections of the garden and in certain crops throughout the years, according to the revised edition of the Special Pamphlet, No. 15, on Control of Insects and Diseases in Vegetable Gardens. Under such conditions, the grower must resort to the use of insecticides and fungicides or other artificial methods of protecting the garden from pests. To make the most effective use of artificial control practices, the gardener should become familiar with the common insects and diseases, so that they may be quickly recognized.

In the bulletin a list is given of the names and descriptions of the insects; descriptions of the type of injury, the names of the plants attacked control recommendations both for Eastern and Western Canada, and recommended formulas and dilution tables for the control materials. The bulletin, No. 45 (revised) may be obtained free by writing to Dominion Dept. of Agriculture, Ottawa.

### Gleichen Trade Board Right Up On Its Toes

Gleichen Board of Trade has just completed a drive for membership, with the result that 83 of the members are now boasting for their community. Board of Trade membership demands public service, and the Board has started right in to show that the members realize their responsibility to their home town.

The new slate of officers elected are: T. H. Beach, president; Wm. Blaney, vice-president; J. Wright, secretary-treasurer.

The members have started on a campaign to build a modern swimming pool, of which the community stands in need, and with the enthusiasm displayed at the last meeting there is no question but that it will become a reality overnight, away, too. It will require some cash donations, and also some donations of material and labor, but when a really good institution like the present pool is set in the place, the swimming pool is positively in the bag.

It has been arranged for the municipal machine to do the excavating. Lits make this town a safe place for the children by providing a swimming pool, and something that all should learn—and that it also keeps them clean in body and healthy, too. We'll also start our Board of Trade to the limit and we will have a good, and friendly town.

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**SELECTIVE SERVICE MAY BE PERMANENT**

Labor Minister Mitchell told a press conference last Saturday national selective service organization.

"I wouldn't like to think that anything I have done would endanger the freedom of the people," he said.

Canada is in the process of educating an organization that will be skilled in handling men and women and can play an important part in controlling spot employment after the war, Mr. Mitchell said.

**TRAPPERS FAIL TO RID E.I.D. OF MUSKRATS**

The muskrat population of the Eastern Irrigation District continues to increase despite encouragement given trappers to rid the irrigation system of the animals.

**SALE**  
A 4 Room House for sale in Bassano.  
Apply Box 107 Bassano.

**NOTICE**  
Will some one that picked up my hat in Crawford's Diner by mistake return it to Fred Malott, Croft, Alta.

Special trapping permits are granted in the district where the tunnel-building animals are considered a menace to canals and ditches.

A tabulation of the number of skins checked by the local RCMP last season showed that 8,166 muskrats were killed in the district from November 3 to April 30.

## ANSWERS for Victory Gardeners

**Should I Use Fertilizer On My Garden?**  
 seldom do soils have available to the garden plants enough material for their growth. If we want to expect the soil to supply the raw materials for the garden, then we will realize that when there is a shortage of crop will suffer. However, there are several angles to the plant food question in the garden, as we will see further along in this series.

**How Will I Know When My Garden Needs Fertilizer?**  
The vegetables you plant will soon tell you whether or not they are getting the right amount of plant food. If they are heavy and they are being starved, if they have a sickly yellow color, it is likely because they need feeding. If your garden vegetables have a bright, clean, healthy color and develop rapidly, you can know there is plenty of plant food in the soil for them. When spreading fertilizer, however, keep it away from the seeds and plant roots, at least a half inch. Put your fertilizer where seedlings stand, but still make the plants reach for it by sending out their roots. Otherwise you will "burn" the young sprouts.

**Does Fertilizing Your Garden Help Fight Weeds and Insects?**  
The answer we must put in is "yes" and "no." When we fertilize the garden, it makes it possible for us to raise a good crop of vegetables with little or no loss of plant food for both. However, there is no use wasting fertilizer on weeds. Keep them down. The same is true of insect damage. If there is heavy growth of leaves and stems on your plants, the insects will find it hard to get at them. But you will still have a crop left. However, you don't have to grow "garden size" for bugs.

**How Soon Should I Buy My Fertilizer and Spraying Material?**  
We hope you have already bought it. A good share of your



**CUT WORM**  
In small Gardens can be dug up from around plants and destroyed by hand. POISON bait also kills them.

**When Should I Start Spraying?**  
If you really want to get maximum results from your work this year, you should spray the minute you see the first bug in the garden. Unless you are experienced, you will find that aphids will sneak on you before you know it. They sit on the underside of plant leaves without moving. Being of the same green color as the vegetables, they are hard to see, and when you do see them, they look so small and harmless that you will almost think they are hardly worth bothering about. However, they are doing plenty of damage, and a dose of Black Leaf 40 is needed right away. Be sure to spray on the underside of garden plants, as well as on top of the leaves. Most of the insects will be out of sight.

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## OTTAWA LETTER

This week I made a plea in the House for more Beet Sugar factories. I pointed out that Southern Alberta Irrigation districts were admirably suited to produce good crops of high sugar content. The presence of a factory added to the stability and prosperity of a district. There is a great opportunity for employment for the post-war period in this activity. The farmers, the factory workers, the railways as well as the producers of coal, linseed, cokes, lumber, oil, malleable, etc., all share in the wealth produced.

"The water that is now flowing down to the sea should all be used for irrigation and then those districts provided with Beet Sugar factories."

Before the War one-third of the food consumed in Greece was imported. After the war this supply failed. For seven months the Greeks fought valiantly against the Germans and Italians but their country was overrun. For food people were dropping dead in the streets. At night the lamentations of the dead and the cries of hunger of the women and children haunted the passers by. The death rate was ten times the normal. A great background in the present.

## Dionne Gives the Quints A Pony

A dream came true Sunday for the Dionne quintuplets when their father gave them a pony as their principal gift on their 10th birthday.

The little rich girls, who have all the (sic) they want and a good assortment of dogs, cats and cows on their estate, have been asking for a pony of their own, for more than a year. Olivia Dionne, five-year-old and guardian, decided recently they were old enough now for one, but it was kept a secret until it was presented to Yvonne, Annette, Emilie, Cecile and Marie Sunday afternoon.



## RECORDER HONOR ROLL

The Recorder would appreciate readers informing us of errors or omissions to the Honor Roll of names of men who have joined some branch of the C. A. S. F. from the entire district.

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During periods when sugar has been scarce or dear, many householders have canned without sugar, and found it very satisfactory.

Sugar when used raw is a much more effective sweetener than when cooked. It is far more economical to add sugar, to suit the taste of the user of the fruit, than to put the sugar in at the time for canning.

If a portion of the fruit is canned this year without sugar, it will allow of a larger quantity being canned, because if raw sugar is used, instead of the sugar being cooked with the fruit, a smaller quantity is required to produce the same sweetening.

Further, if the fruit is in the homes, canned, there will be opportunities to sweeten it from the ordinary sugar ration, when used.

Another plan would be to can, using a very much lighter syrup than usual, and adding what extra raw sugar may be requisite when served.

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